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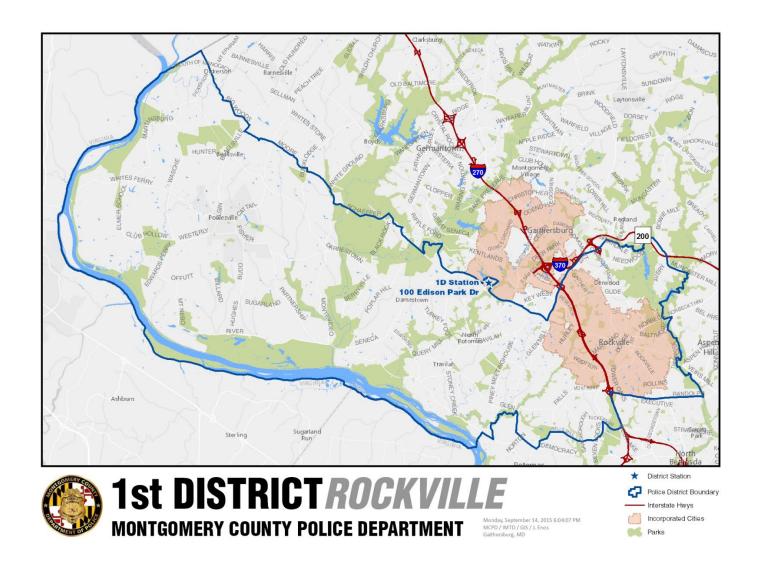


Recent Crime Summary

February 2, 2017

Note: additional incidents may have occurred and the reports have not yet been received

Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a press release



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A1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

Police responded for the report of a commercial robbery that had just occurred at the Food Express
grocery store located at 16254 Frederick Road at approximately 9:47 a.m. on 01/21. A suspect was
arrested and charged with attempted murder and attempted kidnapping.

For more information, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2017/01/22/suspect-charged-with-attempted-murder-after-assaulting-grocery-store-employee/

A4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 7800 block of Heatherton Lane at approximately 7:45 a.m. on 01/21. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken.

Suspect: Male, race unknown, age 20-25

 An attempted residential burglary occurred in the 13200 block of Maplecrest Drive in the early morning hours of 01/21. The suspect was arrested.

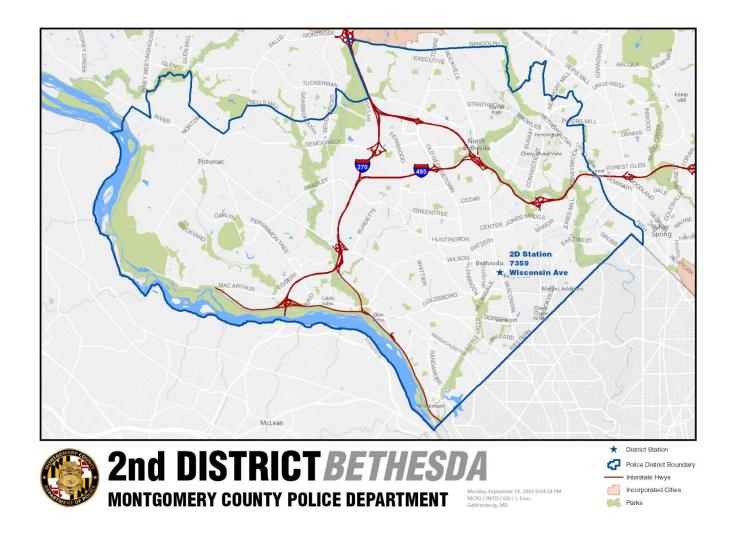
Arrested: B/M, age 29, of an unconfirmed address

B2 Beat:

- An attempted residential burglary occurred in the 12900 block of Glen Road between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/14 and approximately 6:00 p.m. on 01/16.
- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 10900 block of Piney Meetinghouse Road between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/18 and approximately 9:20 a.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; property was taken.

B3 Beat:

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D1 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

D2 Beat:

- A residential burglary occurred in the 7100 block of Glenbrook Road between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/21 and approximately 9:20 a.m. on 01/22. Forced entry; property was taken. (Note that a burglary was reported in the E2 on Glenbrook Road.)
- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Monument Parking* located at 6800 Wisconsin Avenue between approximately 12:00 a.m. and approximately 7:10 a.m. on 01/19. Forced entry; cash was taken.

D3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

D4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E1 Beat:

 A commercial burglary occurred at LAZ Parking located at 5430 Wisconsin Avenue between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 01/20 and approximately 8:00 a.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; cash was taken.

E2 Beat:

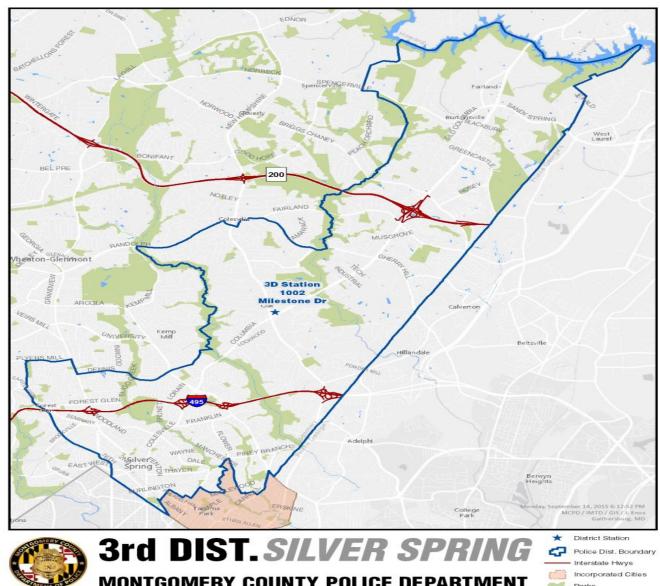
 A residential burglary occurred in the 7200 block of Glenbrook Road at approximately 8:42 p.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; property was taken. (Note that a burglary was reported in the D2 on Glenbrook Road.)

E3 Beat:

- Two commercial burglaries occurred at the Westfield Montgomery mall located at 7101
 Democracy Boulevard between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 01/20 and approximately 7:00 a.m. on 01/21:
 - At *Cellairis*. Forced entry; property was taken.
 - At *Piercing Pagoda*. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

E4 Beat:

An attempted residential burglary occurred in the 9400 block of River Road at approximately 7:49 p.m. on 01/22.



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01/16/17 to 01/24/17

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G1 Beat:

- Two **residential burglaries** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 700 block of Easley Street at approximately 9:26 a.m. on 01/19. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken.

Suspect: H/M, approximately age 30

- ➤ In the 100 block of Sunnyside Road between approximately 11:30 p.m. on 01/20 and approximately 7:00 a.m. on 01/21. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.
- Two **armed robberies** occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 8200 block of Piney Branch Road at approximately 6:30 p.m. on 01/21. The suspect displayed a weapon and took the adult male victim's cash and property.

Suspect: B/M, age 25-29

In the 900 block of Ellsworth Drive at approximately 7:23 p.m. on 01/22. The suspect displayed a weapon and took the adult male victim's cash and property.

Suspect: B/M, age unknown

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at the *Exxon Gas Station* located at 8384 Colesville Road in the early morning hours of 01/25. The suspect displayed a weapon and took merchandise.

Suspect: B/M, age unknown

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets include Thayer Avenue, Wayne Avenue, Eastern Avenue, Cameron Street, Sligo Avenue, East West Highway, and Blair Road. Force was reported in four events, unknown means of entry into the other vehicles; cash and property were taken.

G2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

H1 Beat:

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *Mega Mart* located at 706 University Boulevard East in the early morning hours of 01/21. The suspect displayed a weapon and took cash. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: H/M, age 20, of Silver Spring

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 8600 block of Piney Branch Road between approximately 12:00 p.m. and approximately 3:00 p.m. on 01/22. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

H2 Beat:

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *CVS Pharmacy* located at 10113 New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 9:44 a.m. on 01/20.

For more information and to view video surveillance of the suspect, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2017/02/01/detectives-investigate-hillandale-cvs-pharmacy-armed-robbery-surveillance-video-released/

• Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/19 and 01/23. Affected streets include Cottrell Terrace, Oak Leaf Drive, and Dilston Road. Force was reported in two events, unknown means of entry into the other vehicles; cash, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

I1 Beat:

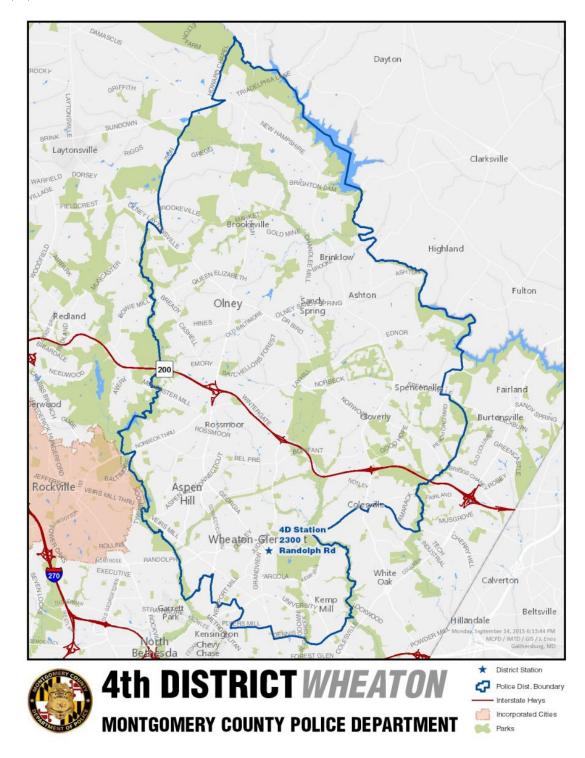
- Three residential burglaries occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 11500 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 9:30 a.m. and approximately 1:26 p.m. on 01/18. Forced entry; nothing was taken.
 - In the 12500 block of Palermo Drive between approximately 8:10 a.m. and approximately 12:54 p.m. on 01/19. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.
 - ➤ In the 1600 block of Whitehall Drive in the early morning hours of 01/23. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken.

Suspect: B/M, age unknown

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets include Norcross Way, Old Columbia Pike, and Lockwood Drive. Force was reported in one event, unknown means of entry into the other vehicles; property and vehicle parts were taken.

12 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 3400 block of Castle Way between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/20 and approximately 4:00 p.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; nothing was taken.



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J1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 13900 block of Huxley Cove Court between approximately 7:00 a.m. and approximately 6:30 p.m. on 01/18. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken.
- An attempted residential burglary occurred in the 700 block of Amelia Island Court at approximately 9:30 a.m. on 01/24.

J2 Beat:

• A home invasion robbery and kidnapping began at a residence in the 18100 block of Marksman Circle at approximately 7:49 p.m. on 01/23. One suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2017/01/24/detectives-investigate-home-invasion-robbery-and-kidnapping-in-olney-one-suspect-arrested/

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 19800 block of Pinebark Way between approximately 10:00 a.m. and approximately 12:30 p.m. on 01/24. Forced entry; property was taken.

K1 Beat:

- Two residential burglaries occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 15400 block of Merrifields Lane between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 01/11 and approximately 6:00 p.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; property was taken.
 - In the 1900 block of Merrifieds Drive between approximately 8:30 a.m. and approximately 2:50 p.m. on 01/24. Forced entry; property was taken.
- An armed robbery occurred in the 3400 block of Hewitt Avenue at approximately 9:00 p.m. on 01/19. Both suspects displayed weapons and took the adult female victim's property. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: H/M, age 20, of Silver Spring

Arrested: H/M, age 25, of an unconfirmed address

 A commercial armed robbery occurred at CVS located at 2271 Bel Pre Road in the early morning hours of 01/20. The suspect displayed a weapon and took cash. Four suspects arrested on 02/02 for a robbery of a CVS in Wheaton may be involved in this commercial robbery.

For more information, please visit: http://www.mymcpnews.com/2017/02/03/four-suspects-charged-with-attempted-commercial-robbery-may-be-linked-to-additional-robberies/

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 2200 block of Bel Pre Road at approximately 4:00 p.m. on 01/21. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and took his property.

Suspects: 2 B/Ms, age 19-25

• An attempted residential burglary occurred in the 1900 block of Morningmist Drive at approximately 11:40 a.m. on 01/24.

K2 Beat:

 An attempted armed robbery and armed robbery believed to have been committed by the same suspects occurred in the 12200 block of Veirs Mill Road between approximately 8:00 a.m. and approximately 8:20 a.m. on 01/18.

Suspects: W/F, age mid-20s B/F, age unknown

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 4500 block of Aspen Hill Road between approximately 8:00 a.m. and approximately 3:10 p.m. on 01/24. Forced entry; property was taken.

L1 Beat:

• A **residential shed burglary** occurred in the 2500 block of Lindell Street between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/19 and approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/21. No forced entry, the shed was reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

L2 Beat:

- Two daytime **residential burglaries** occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 1400 block of Ladd Street between approximately 7:50 a.m. and approximately 4:00 p.m. on 01/20. Forced entry; property was taken.
 - ➤ In the 3000 block of McComas Avenue between approximately 11:30 a.m. and approximately 6:20 p.m. on 01/21. Forced entry; property was taken.
- A commercial burglary occurred at the Wheaton House Apartments located at 10807 Georgia
 Avenue between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/19 and approximately 2:50 p.m. on 01/23. Forced
 entry; property was taken.

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M1 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

M2 Beat:

• A **vehicle was stolen** in the 10000 block of Watkins Road between approximately 7:00 a.m. and approximately 7:10 a.m. on 01/20. The vehicle was left running with the keys in the ignition. The vehicle was recovered on 01/21. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: B/M, age 21, of Montgomery Village B/M, age 18, of Montgomery Village B/M, age 17, of Montgomery Village

- A commercial burglary occurred at Blue Mash Golf Course located at 5821 Olney Laytonsville Road between approximately 3:30 p.m. on 01/22 and approximately 7:30 a.m. on 01/23. Forced entry; property was taken.
- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/22 and 01/23. Affected streets include the 10600 block of Shasta Court and the 25100 block of Tralee Court. No force; unknown means of entry into any of the vehicles; property was taken.

M3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 20000 block of Westend Court at approximately 8:00 a.m. on 01/23. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

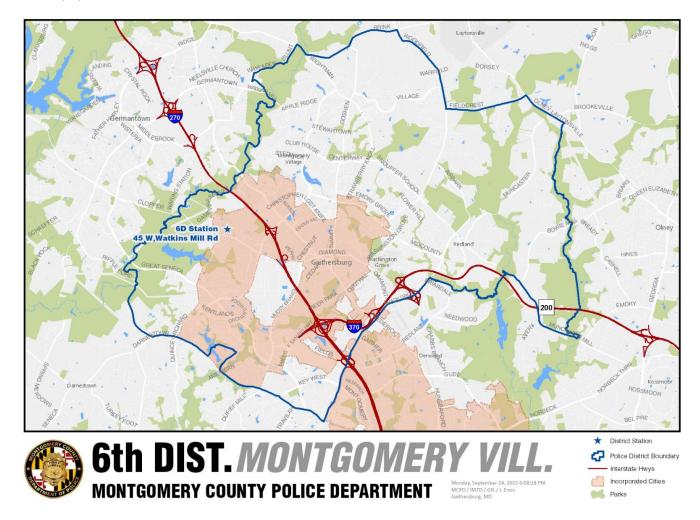
N2 Beat:

• Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 19400 block of Caravan Drive in the early morning hours of 01/23. No force, vehicles were possibly left unlocked; cash and property were taken. A suspect was arrested.

Arrested: B/M, age 24, of an unconfirmed address

N3 Beat:

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P1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 15200 block of Siesta Key Way between approximately 9:30 a.m. and approximately 1:00 p.m. on 01/19. Forced entry; property was taken.

P2 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 9100 block of Gaither Road at approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/20. Force; property was taken.

R1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R2 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 01/18 and 01/23. Affected streets include Wightman Road, Aspenwood Court, and Arrowsmith Court. No force, two vehicles were reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

R3 Beat:

- Thefts from vehicles occurred in the following areas:
 - Theft from a vehicle in the 7900 block of Cessna Avenue between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 01/17 and approximately 6:00 a.m. on 01/18. Force; property was taken.
 - Theft from four vehicles in the 7600 block of Airpark Road between approximately 4:30 p.m. on 01/18 and approximately 8:00 a.m. on 01/19. Force; property was taken.
- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 8500 block of Snouffer School Road between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 01/21 and approximately 5:30 a.m. on 01/22. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

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